



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
In re Application of  
CAROL LEFEBVRE DU GROSRIEZ ET AL

Docket # 5473 RCE / 1772

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U.S. Serial No. 09/839,407

Group Art Unit 1772

Filed: April 23, 2001

Examiner: A. Chevalier

AN ABSORBENT PAPER PRODUCT SUCH AS NAPKIN OR HANDKERCHIEF, METHODS FOR MANUFACTURING SUCH A PRODUCT AND APPARATUS IMPLEMENTING SUCH METHODS

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a request for continued examination under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above identified application. Transmitted herewith is a submission under 37 C.F.R. 1.114 as follows:

- Consider the Amendment/Response under 37 CFR 1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.
- Amendment/Response
- Information Disclosure Statement
- PTO Request Fee for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e) - \$385.00/\$770.00
- This response is being filed within the period for response.
- The required extension fee was previously paid on \_\_\_\_\_.
- Applicant(s) hereby petition for an extension from the date of the Examiner's Action as follows:
  - First-Month Extension..... \$ 55.00 / \$ 110.00
  - Second-Month Extension..... \$ 210.00 / \$ 420.00
  - Third-Month Extension..... \$ 475.00 / \$ 950.00
- Small entity status of this application has been established.

A check in the amount of \$ 1,720.00 is attached hereto.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be due, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-3690. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

By Mary Bremer  
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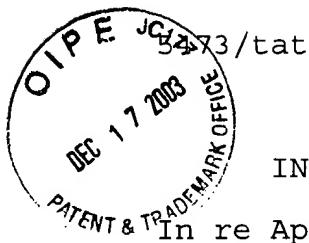
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A M E N D M E N T

Dear Sir:

This amendment is being filed concurrently with a request for continued examination under 37 C.F.R. 1.114. Please amend the claims as set forth below prior to continuing examination of the captioned application.